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The Union Public Service Commission will hold an examination at Allahabad, Bombay, Calcutta, Delhi, Jullundur, Madras, Nagpur and Patna sometime in January, 1953, for entry into the Military Wing of the National Defence Academy. *Age limits on 1st July 1953*:—18–21 years (including persons serving in the Regular or Territorial Army). Personnel serving in the Regular or Territorial Army born between 2nd July 1931 and 1st August 1934 also eligible, as a special case. Age limits *not* relaxable. *Qualifications*:—Intermediate or equivalent. Applications from candidates who have appeared or intend to appear for Intermediate or equivalent examination acceptable provisionally. Full particulars and application forms obtainable from Secretary, Union Public Service Commission, Dholpur House, New Delhi, on remitting Re. 1 by MONEY ORDER or cash payment at counter. Postal orders or cheques will *NOT* be accepted. When applying for forms candidates must clearly state on money order coupons "Military Wing Examination, January 1953" and also give their name and full postal address in block capitals.

Completed applications must reach Secretary, Union Public Service Commission, by 15th November 1952 (22nd November 1952, in case of candidates residing abroad).

HARISHCHANDRA,
Under Secretary,
4442 Union Public Service Commission.

OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL INFORMATION OFFICER TO THE GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE, OLD PUBLIC OFFICES, BANGALORE.

Press Note.

Restriction on the release of Iron and Steel for building purposes within the State.

The quantity of steel allotted to the State under non-agricultural quota is found too inadequate to meet the demand from the general public. With a view to make as equitable a distribution as possible within the limited allotments of steel, it was found desirable to restrict the extent of releases for construction of buildings. Accordingly the Government of Mysore have promulgated the Mysore Iron and Steel (Control of use in Buildings) Orders, 1952, which has been published in the *Mysore Gazette* dated 14th August 1952.

It is found in several cases that the quantity applied for construction of residential quarters is so heavy that it cannot be released without prejudice to the needs of small-scale consumers. It is, therefore, decided to suspend the release of steel for the construction of "Luxurious Buildings", *viz.*, Cinemas, Dance Halls, Theatres, Studios or other places of amusement, as difined in sub-clause (6) of Clause 3 of the Order cited above. The restriction on the release of steel is, however, relaxed in the case of construction of buildings of public utility. such as for educational, medical, religious or charitable purposes and also buildings of Government and local bodies, etc., referred to in Clause 6 of the said Order in which case the applicants are requested to furnish details justifying the needs.

The public are earnestly requested to co-operate in fulfilling the desired object of the Government.

(P.N. No. 111—5-9-1952).

Press Note.

As a measure of relief to the ryots whose dry lands in Tumkur Taluk have suffered on account of scanty rainfall during the year 1951-52, remission of one-half and suspension of the other half of the dry assessment are sanctioned in respect of 50 villages in Tumkur Taluk for the year 1951-52.

The aggregate sum thus to be remitted is 6,641-6-3.

(P.N. No. 112—5-9-1952).

Press Note.

Working of the Employment Exchange during August 1952.

The Employment Exchange, No. 3, Lady Curzon Road, Civil Station, Bangalore, registered 1,066 persons during the month of August 1952, of whom 160 are ex-service personnel, 46 women and 860 others. The number of vacancies reported from the Central Government Departments and State Government Departments was 37 and from private employers 6, thus bringing the total to 43.

One hundred and seventy-five persons (60 ex-service personnel and 115 others were referred to employers against the reported vacancies.

Forty-seven persons were placed in employment during the month as against 46 in the previous month. Of those placed, 11 were ex-service personnel and 32 others and 4 women applicants.

The registration of 159 ex-service personnel and 956 civilians lapsed during ths month. Six hundred and seventy ex-service personnel and 3,635 civilians were on the live register of the Exchange at the end of the month for employment assistance. From the inception of the organisation up to the end of August 1952, 68,286 persons were registered, 23,392 were submitted against reported vacancies and 5,091 were placed in employment.

(P. N. No. 113—6-9-1952).

Press Note.

As a measure of relief to the atchkatdars who have suffered on account of failure of wet crops under atchkats of the 123 tanks in Bhadravati Taluk, due to scanty rains during the year 1949-50, seasonal remission of half wet assessment to the extent of Rs. 4,127-4-9 (Rupees four thousand one hundred and twenty-seven, annas four and pies nine) only, is sanctioned for the year 1949-50.

(P.N. No. 114—6-9-1952).

Press Note.

Subject.—Issue of Rations to Visitors to Mysore City during the Dasara Festivities in 1952.

In view of the acute food situation and the prevalence of distress conditions in more than three Districts of the State, owing to continued failure of rains, and the difficulties experienced in meeting even the normal food requirements, it would not be possible for Government to issue any rations to the visitors to Mysore during the Dasara Festivities this year.

Intending visitors to Mysore during the ensuing Dasara Festivities are therefore cautioned that no rations will be issued to them from Government Depots and that they should provide themselves with their own rations, to avoid any possible inconvenience to themselves. There will, however, be no restrictions imposed on their bringing food-grains into Mysore City, as it is now a derationed area.

(P.N. No. 115—12-9-1952.)

B. N. SRI SATHYAN,
4555 *Principal Information Officer.*

FOREST DEPARTMENT

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF RESEARCH OFFICER FOREST RESEARCH LABORATORY, BANGALORE.

Brief Abstract Notification dated 12—15th September 1952.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed notification dated 13th August 1952, regarding auction sale of unserviceable articles of Forest Research Laboratory, Bangalore, published in the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 4th instant, Part VI, Page 1007. The sale will again be held on the same conditions notified before on the 10th October 1952 at 2 P.M.

Detailed sale notifications can be had from the office of the undersigned during working hours.

M. N. RAMASWAMY,
4546 *Chief Research Officer.*

BANGALORE FOREST DIVISION.

Re-sale Notification dated 3rd September 1952.

THANGADI AND KAKKE BARK LEASE.

It is notified for the general information that the extensive right of collecting Thangadi and Kakke barks on

all State Forests, Minor forests, Village forests, Reserves and other Government unoccupied lands of Magadi, Doddaballapur and Hoskote Taluks, will be sold in public auction for two years from the date of confirmation to end of June 1954, on Friday the 26thSeptember 1952 at 2 P.M. by the District Forest Officer, Bangalore Division, in his office at Sandal Koti Building, Malleswaram, Bangalore-3.

The conditions will be the same as those for Thangadi lease notified by the Chief Conservator of Forests in his No. S. 5. 39-52—53.

J. P. MASCARENHAS,
4382 *D.F.O.*

KOLAR FOREST DIVISION.

Tender Notification dated 13th September 1952.

It is hereby notified for general information that sealed tenders for the exclusive right of collecting (1) Seethapal fruit and Maradi seeds on all Government Unoccupied lands, Amrit Mahal Kavals, State Forests, Reserved Lands and Plantations (2) Tamarind crop in the State Forests, Reserve lands and plantations of the Kolar District for two years, *i.e.*, up to end of March 1954 from the date of acceptance, will be received by the District Forest Officer, Kolar District, up to 4 P.M. on Monday the 13th October 1952.

Each tender must be accompanied by a sum of Rs. 200 (Rupees two hundred only) in currency notes as tender deposit. Tenders not accompanied by the earnest deposit will be summarily rejected. Cover containing the tender should be addressed to the District Forest Officer, Kolar, duly registered and superscribed "Tender for Tamarind, Seethapal and Maradi lease". The name and address of the tenderer should be clearly and fully given. Tenders will be opened by the District Forest Officer, Kolar, in his office at 4-30 P.M. on 13th October 1952 in the presence of such of the tenderers as may be present. The Chief Conservator of Forests in Mysore is at liberty to accept or reject any tender without specifying any reason therefor.

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Within a week of receipt of notice of acceptance of the tender, the successful tenderer should pay one-fourth of the tender amount with the usual cesses at three annas per rupee and Sales-tax at three pies per rupee on the full tender amount including the earnest deposit paid with the tender and execute the usual agreement on a ten-annas stamp paper.

For further particulars *vide* Notification dated 22nd April 1940 of District Forest Officer, Kolar, published on pages 46-47 and 48, in Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 25th April 1940 and Notification No. S. 872—51-52, dated 5th January 1952 of the Chief Conservator of Forests in Mysore.

Unit for Sale.

1. Seethapal.—
   Malur Taluk.
2. Maradi.—
   Srinivasapur Taluk.
   Chikballapur Taluk.
   Bagepalli Taluk.
   Goribidanur Taluk.
3. Tamarind crop.—
   Forests and plantations of Srinivaspur Taluk excluding Ragamakanapalli and Guntapalli plantations.
   2. Ragamakanapalli plantation.
   3. Guntapalli plantation.

4539 N. SESHA MURTHY, *D.F.O.*

SHIMOGA FOREST DIVISION.

Brief Tender Notification dated 26th August 1952.

Public are hereby informed that sealed tenders with earnest deposit of Rs. 100 for collection of rough sandalwood and transport to Shimoga Sandal Koti, Shimoga, from Ranges of Shimoga Division during 1952-53 will be received by the undersigned up to 4 P.M. on 22nd September 1952.

Detailed Notifications may be had at this office during office hours.

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Abstract Notification dated 9th September 1952.

Auction Sale of Sawn Timber and Round Logs.

It is hereby notified for general information of the public that the following kinds and quantities of sawn sizes and round-logs in the Government Saw Mills, Shimoga and Government Timber Depot, Shimoga, will be sold by public auction by the District Forest Officer, Shimoga or any other Gazetted Officer deputed by him between 9 A.M. and 12 NOON and 2 P.M. to 5 P.M. on each day on the 6th and 7th October 1952 respectively. If the sale is not concluded on the same day, it will be continued from day to day at the same hour until concluded.

Name of Depot	Kind	C.ft.	Date of Sale
Government Saw Mills, Shimoga.	Teak Rafters and planks	4,468	Monday, 6th October 1952.
	Beete do do	3,563	
	Honne do do	676	
	Nandi do do	1,469	
	Mathi do do	2,443	
	Teak felloes (No.)	515	
	Do spokes (,,)	3,211	
	Other Kinds reepers	17,750 R.ft.	
	Teak reepers	2,000 ,,	
	Other Kind (logs)	6,799 C.ft.	
Government Timber Depot, Shimoga.	Teak logs	11,790 C.ft.	Tuesday, 7th October 1952.
	Matti ,,	6,654 ,,	
	Honne ,,	3,913 ,,	
	Nandi ,,	12,757 ,,	
	Beete ,,	18,946 ,,	
	Yattiga ,,	2,831 ,,	
	Hunal ,,	8,077 ,,	
	Other Kinds logs	13,964 ,,	
	Teak ballies (No.)	4,435	
	Teak lops and tops	2,000 ,,	

N.B.—1. The quantities noted above are approximate.
2. The defaulter's timber of the previous sales will also be exposed for sale.

Details of other conditions of the sale can be had at the District Forest Office, Shimoga, on working days between 11 A.M. to 5 P.M.

S. KRISHNASWAMY,
District Forest Officer.

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BHADRAVATI FOREST DIVISION.

Resale Notification dated 2nd September 1952.

It is hereby notified for the general information that the exclusive right of collecting Thangadi and Kakke Barks on all State Forests, Minor Forests, Village Forest Reserves and other Government unoccupied lands up to 30th June 1954, in Chennagiri Taluk, will be sold by the District Forest Officer, Bhadravati, or any other officer deputed by him for the purpose on 26th September 1952 (Friday) in his Office at Bhadravati. The sale commences at 3 PM.

CONDITIONS.

1 Defaulters of the previous leases will not be permitted to bid.
2 No person will be allowed to bid unless (1) he deposits a sum of Rs. 200 as earnest money with the Sale Conducting Officer and (2) he produces a solvency certificate from the Amildar of the Taluk in which he resides.
3 Bidders who are non-residents of Mysore State should deposit with the Sale Conducting Officer, half